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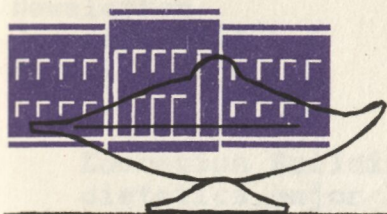
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From the Desk of the President



# NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

Volume XLI

January, 1967

Number 5

## A. CALENDAR

1. New Year's Day. . . . . January 1
2. Classes Resume (8:00 a. m.) . . . . . January 3
3. Workers' Meeting (College Staff). . . . . January 3
4. Coronation of Miss Prairie View . . . . . January 7
5. Religious Emphasis Week . . . . . January 8-11
6. International Night . . . . . January 9
7. Local Alumni Meeting. . . . . January 12
8. ROTC Commissioning Exercises. . . . . January 19
9. Final Examinations (First Semester) . . . . . January 23-28
10. Faculty Talent Show . . . . . January 27
11. First Semester Closes . . . . . January 29
12. Freshman Orientation (Second Semester). . . . . January 29-Feb. 1
13. Second Semester Registration. . . . . February 1-3
14. Basketball Games --

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- Prairie View vs. Southern University. . . . . January 12  
Prairie View vs. Jackson College. . . . . January 14  
Prairie View vs. Texas Southern . . . . . January 21

### AWAY

- Prairie View vs. Missouri State at Springfield. . . . . January 5  
Prairie View vs. Arkansas AM&N at Pine Bluff. . . . . January 7  
Prairie View vs. Wiley College, Marshall. . . . . January 9  
Prairie View vs. Texas College, Tyler . . . . . January 18  
Prairie View vs. Texas Southern, Houston. . . . . January 23  
Prairie View vs. Grambling College, Louisiana . . . . . January 28  
Prairie View vs. Alcorn A&M at Lorman, Miss. . . . . January 30

## B. A WORD OF THANKS

Special appreciation is extended to all employees contributing in any way to our special activities held during the past month.

## C. CORONATION OF MISS PRAIRIE VIEW

The Annual Coronation ceremonies for Miss Prairie View have been scheduled for January 7 in the Health and Physical



Education Building. Miss Cheryl K. McIntyre, a senior dietetics major from Bonham, Texas, is Miss Prairie View of 1966-67. She was elected by popular vote of the student body last Spring.

This event is considered one of our major student social activities of the year.

D. RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK

"Minority Group Survived Techniques" is the Theme of Religious Emphasis Week scheduled at the College on January 8-11. Visiting speakers for the occasion include The Reverend Shelby Rooks, Jr., Associate Director, Fund for Theological Education, Princeton, New Jersey, and Rabbi Newton J. Friedman of Temple Emanuel, Beaumont, Texas.

Staff members are invited to participate in the various sessions during this observance.

E. INTERNATIONAL NIGHT

A program of unusual interest is International Night scheduled for Monday evening, January 9 in the Health and Physical Education Building. This is an annual project of the Department of Economics and Geography.

F. ROTC COMMISSIONING EXERCISES

The Mid-year Commissioning Exercises by The Department of Military Science have been set for January 19 in the Health and Physical Education Building. The speaker for the occasion is Lt. General Ralph E. Haines, Jr., Commanding General, III U. S. Army Corp. and Fort Hood.

G. SEMESTER CHANGES

January is the month of final examinations and semester changes. While specific instructions concerning these important activities will come from the Deans' and Registrar's offices, the Newsletter attempts to pass on this word of emphasis in asking for your full cooperation in carrying out these functions according to established regulations.



H. CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. Martin L. Epps, Golf and Tennis Coach, who has been appointed National Chairman of two important NAIA Tennis Committees.

I. PERSONAL

1. Births -- a girl, Celeste Joann was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Gerald on December 30, 1966. Mr. Gerald is Principal of the Elementary School and Mrs. Gerald serves with the National Teachers Corps program.

2. Deaths --

Mr. Lee P. Muckelroy, December 15, 1966. Mr. Muckelroy was a member of the staff of the Steam Plant and a long-time citizen and businessman in Waller County.

Mrs. Erma Cole, Mother of Mr. Robert Cole (School of Home Economics), Dallas, Texas, December 19, 1966.

Mrs. B. B. Johnson, wife of Mr. E. J. Johnson (School of Industrial Education, retired), Hempstead, December 19, 1966.

Reverend A. L. Yancy, brother of Mr. C. D. Yancy (Director of Placement), Bellville, Texas, December, 1966.

J. REMEMBER --

\* The March of Dimes, January, 1967.

\* Voter Registration --DEADLINE January 31, 1967 (Applications available at Prairie View Post Office).

K. IN CLOSING

Best wishes to all for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Very truly yours,

*Alvin I. Thomas*  
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President